

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicant(s) Tim Keith, et al.

Group Art Unit: 1637

Serial No.: 10/670,184

Examiner: Angela Marie Bertagna

Filed: February 22, 2006

Confirmation 2818

For: NOVEL HUMAN GENE RELATING TO RESPIRATORY DISEASES AND OBESITY

PETITION AND FEE FOR EXTENSION OF TIME (37 C.F.R. § 1.136(a))

Mail Stop Amendment
 Commissioner for Patents
 P.O. Box 1450
 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

1. This is a petition for an extension of Amendment and Response to Restriction Requirement.

2. The communication in connection with the matter for which this extension is requested

☒ is filed herewith.☐ has been filed on ____.3. ☐ Applicant(s) is/are entitled to Small Entity Status.☐ Statement has already been filed

- | | | <u>Total Months
Requested</u> | <u>Fee for Other
than Small Entity</u> | <u>Fee for
Small Entity</u> |
|----|-------------------------------------|--|--|---------------------------------|
| a. | <input type="checkbox"/> | one month | \$120.00 | \$60.00 |
| b. | <input type="checkbox"/> | two months | \$450.00 | \$225.00 |
| c. | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> | three months | \$1,020.00 | \$510.00 |
| d. | <input type="checkbox"/> | four months | \$1,590.00 | \$795.00 |
| e. | <input type="checkbox"/> | five months | \$2,160.00 | \$1,080.00 |
| f. | <input type="checkbox"/> | An extension for __ month has already been secured for filing the above-identified communication and the fee paid therefore of \$__ is deducted from the total fee due for the total months of extension now requested. The fee for this extension (\$____), minus the fee previously paid (\$____) equals \$____ (total fee due). | | |

5. ☐ A check in the amount of \$_____ to cover the extension fee is attached.
6. ☒ Charge fee to Deposit Account No. 13-4500, Order No. 2976-4039US3.
7. ☒ The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional fees which may be required by this paper, or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 13-4500, Order No. 2976-4039US3.

Respectfully submitted,
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Dated: January 4, 2007

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